

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer is falling on the Coast, and temperatures are gradually moderating on the Pacific Slope. Snow is falling in Alberta, and zero temperatures prevail in Manitoba.

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Succession Duties Handicap Visitors Anxious to Settle

Mr. E. C. Warren Believes Abolition of Duties Would Be Followed by Increase in Number of Homes—Present System Makes Alien Residents Pay Substantial Premium

Inheritance Tax Issue Was Tackled in Florida

In the various discussions concerning prosperity or its opposite condition both locally and provincially, the question of succession duties and income tax and their effect in the entry of outside wealth into British Columbia has seldom been touched. As it is understood, the matter is coming before the Provincial Legislature at its forthcoming session. The Colonist has sought the opinion of a number of residents who by reason of their own experiences since coming here have had special reason to study the subject closely. One of the best known and best informed of these gentlemen is Mr. E. C. Warren, one of the biggest sons on Vancouver Island. Mr. Warren came here five years ago from Florida, and although he had no intention of visiting the Island in any but the customary casual tourist fashion, he and his family liked it so much that they decided to remain and make their home here. They are not dealing with the place from a residential standpoint, and are probably among Victoria's most enthusiastic advertisers in all that pertains to climate and other natural advantages.

"But you have, in the succession duties in existence here, one of the principal deterrents to many wealthy people who might otherwise come here to establish a home and to invest their capital in the development of your splendid natural resources," he told The Colonist, representative who sought his views.

"I believe that the abolition of the succession duty would be followed by a very definite increase in the number of people who would establish homes here and make investments here. I have been here more than five years. I believe it is well known that I have given some consideration to these matters, and consequently many visitors to the city who are contemplating permanent residence here are being sent to me for information on taxation and other conditions affecting residence of aliens here."

BAD IMPRESSION

"The most important question in their minds, the one that affects their decision most strongly, is this one of succession duty. And, to be quite truthful, I find myself compelled to advise (as I did only this morning to a visitor who was sent to me to take up residence in Canada) that the taking up of Canadian citizenship in itself is sufficient to protect one's estate against the incidence of succession duty."

Mr. Warren felt certain that a tip, given even in the friendliest spirit, would constitute a direct premium upon residence here and give the prospective resident an unfavorable impression of the conditions under which the Government would allow him to make his home in British Columbia. In other words, it meant that the Government intended to make alien resi-

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To Open Sessional Debates



COLONEL NELSON SPENCER
DR. L. E. BORDEN

Member for Vancouver, who will move the address in reply to that of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, at the opening of the Wednesday sitting of the Legislature.

Member for Nelson, who will second the address. Dr. Borden is well known as a capable legislator and active practitioner in the Kootenays.

WAREHOUSES FOR LIQUOR EXPORT END

Date of June 11 Fixed by Government for Closing Down of Places Where Liquor Is Shipped

ORDER IS ISSUED BY DEPARTMENT

VANCOUVER, Jan. 25.—The Vancouver Province today publishes the following despatch from Ottawa:

"The export warehouse system of handling liquor in British Columbia and in most of the Canadian provinces is to come to an end June 11 next. This decision is contained in an order issued this week by the Department of National Revenue cancelling customs bonds of liquor in the so-called export warehouses to take effect June 11, 1930.

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EDWARD PRICE BELL

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MRS. CASAVANT DEAD

ST. HYACINTHE, Que., Jan. 25.—Mrs. Claver Casavant, wife of the president of the internationally known church organ manufacturing firm of Casavant Frères, died at her home here yesterday, aged seventy.

She was a niece of Louis Joseph Papineau, who took an active part in the Rebellion of 1837.

DOMINION PARKS

Among the matters that required

adjusting was that pertaining to the parks which the Dominion authorities have established within the rail-

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GOVERNMENT LEGISLATION IS PREPARED

Ministers Will Face House for Second Time on Tuesday With Advantages of Matured Experience

ROAD PROGRAMME TO BE IMPORTANT

Taxation Relief to Be Salient Objective of Session—Status of P.G.E. Railway Survey

MORE than special interest attaches to the opening of the Legislative session which opens on Wednesday with appropriate ceremony. This is due to the fact that the members of the Government have had in the past twelve months the opportunity to acquaint themselves with the situation, throughout the province, which was impossible for them to do during the short time intervening between taking over the administration of affairs, in August, 1928, and the summoning of the 1929 session.

Tuesday will be given over to the "pomp and circumstance" of the opening, so that actual business will not be reached until Wednesday afternoon, when the Address will come in for consideration, formally and in the short time intervening between taking over the administration of affairs.

The first week will undoubtedly be taken up with the debate on the Address. The ministers, it is announced, have their prospective legislation well in hand, and there should be little delay in getting it before the House.

PUBLIC WORKS

The Department of Public Works, which is the big spending department of the Government, will have a very comprehensive programme, it is announced. Hon. N. S. Lougheed, early in the Fall, made a tour of the greater part of the province.

In connection with the road work, a practice is followed of making the air licences and gas taxes maintain a very high proportion of the total. This policy will be continued, and the demand from various bodies, such as the automobile clubs and farmers' organizations, for an increased tax, renders it possible that the gas tax may be raised to 5 cents a gallon. This will maintain the same amount available for new roads.

While the French and Italian situation dominated today's proceedings among the delegations, there are still struggling to find a suitable background for staging their naval disarmament programmes.

While the French and Italian Minister talked to-night, the Japanese looked on cautiously from their London headquarters and Prime Minister, MacDonald and Secretary of State St. John, rested in the quiet of their country retreats.

NO PROGRESS REPORTED

After the progress report was reported after the Paris conference discussions, conference circles do not appear, but regard the meeting as one of a long series of conversations that will probably be necessary to clear away the causes for dispute.

Premier Tardieu and Signor Grandi tonight seemed to be satisfied merely to restate the French and Italian positions. Italy again emphasized his right to naval disarmament.

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AGREEMENT ON RAILWAY LANDS SCRUTINIZED

Hon. N. S. Lougheed Returns With View of Cabinet Submitting Simultaneous Legislature

Hon. N. S. Lougheed, Minister of Public Works, is now hurrying westward from Ottawa with a draft agreement covering the transfer of the railway lands from the Dominion to the province. If the document meets with the approval of Premier Tolmie and his colleagues it is expected that legislation dealing with the transfer will be drafted and presented to the Legislature during the coming session simultaneously with similar legislation at Ottawa.

The negotiations which Mr. Lougheed had been carrying on under advice from the Premier and his colleagues in Victoria, and in collaboration with his Deputy Attorney-General, Mr. O. C. Bass, and Mr. Henry Cathcart, Provincial Minister of Lands, were advanced when the Minister of Public Works was able to leave Ottawa on Friday night a little earlier than had been expected by the Premier last evening.

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"Keep off the grass," said the teacher.

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**REVISION OF
VOTERS' LIST
UNDER WAY**

Applications to Be Registered May Be Made at Court House—Should Record Change of Address

**REGISTRATION NOW
PROCEEDING DAILY**

Revision of the official list of persons entitled to vote for members of the Provincial Legislature in the election districts of Victoria City and Esquimalt is now under way at the Court House, with Mr. G. H. Wilson in charge. All persons wishing to insure for themselves the right to mark a ballot in one or other of these electoral districts at the next provincial election may apply for registration at the Court House between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. from Mondays to Fridays, including and between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. The voters' list with its details, will also be open to public examination at the same place and at the same hours.

WHO ARE CONCERNED

It is not only those who have not been enrolled as provincial voters in the electoral districts mentioned who are concerned in the revision and registration now proceeding. Those who were enrolled but who did not vote at the last provincial election are required to register or else at the same time not be struck off the list. Again, many persons have moved from one electoral district to another and are required to register for the district where they now reside. Others have moved from one place to another within the same electoral district and are required to give notification of their new street address, either by writing on the person's card.

The person during which applications for registration may be made will end on April 5. Meanwhile early application is desirable. The court of revision will sit on May 19.

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Everyone is by law entitled to vote and to be registered on the list if he is:

(a) A British subject, of the full age of twenty-one.

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Naturalized British subjects have the same right to vote as those who are British subjects by birth.

There are no fees or charges in connection with registering.

HOUSEWIFE TO BEGGER—If what you say is true, that you love work, then why don't you find some?

Beggar—Oh, madam, you know love is blind.

**Two Bears and
Caribou Secured
With Single Shot**

With one bullet, to have secured three trophies, a grizzly, a black bear and a caribou, the remarkable achievement of a big game hunter and guide in the Quesnel Lake district of the province, according to information which had reached Attorney-General Pooley. The story of the exploit was conveyed to Mr. Pooley by Mr. Billie, a well-known game commissioner of the province. A photograph of the caribou horns and the two bear skins were also forwarded to him by Game Warden Robinson, Quesnel.

Mr. Norman Thompson, a guide who takes his gun trips

in the Quesnel Lake district, was hunting a few weeks ago with a party of visitors when he noticed a set of caribou horns protruding from the snow.

Advancing cautiously, because he foresaw trouble, Thompson started to investi-

gate. He did not know

an animal crashing through the brush nearby, and turned to find a giant grizzly charging at him.

He staggered on, falling dead

only fifteen feet from the hunter.

Thompson then saw that the

caribou had been killed by

the grizzly and dashed, and with

its carcass was the hide and

skeleton of a black bear which

had been too inquisitive, and it

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EXPERIMENTAL FARM BURNS

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When the chief failed to reply to demands for surrender, he was surrounded by a force of the South African force was sent to fly over the kraal, or native stronghold. The plane circled over the kraal and dropped bombs on either side as a warning, then dived over the native huts and set fire to them with an other bomb.

The terror-stricken natives fled in all directions, including Sekonela, surrendered to Colonel Lyle, British Native Commissioner for the district.

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THE TOLMIE ADMINISTRATION

On the eve of the second session of the Provincial Legislature, since Dr. S. F. Tolmie and the Conservatives of British Columbia secured power, the course of action of the Government is being watched with considerable interest. The leader of this Government has entrenched himself solidly in the hearts of the people of the province. He enjoys a personal popularity which has been accorded to no Premier since the days of the late Sir Richard McBride. Much of this popularity has been derived from bluff heartiness and bonhomie; from a willingness to mix with all classes of the people; from an open-handed manner of dealing with men and events; and from personal characteristics which appeal to British Columbians, and which, as well, have made Dr. Tolmie so widely known and so highly respected throughout the Dominion.

The present Premier has taken his task in the most serious vein. He has gone about the province determined to ascertain at first hand what are the needs of its various sections of inhabitants, with a single eye to finding out in what way provincial legislation can foster advancement. The cause of the general welfare has been the guiding one in every task to which he has set his hand. He has done all this in a cautious manner, determined that he will not be stampeded into any course of action until he first ascertains all its possible implications. This is illustrated in his handling of the Pacific Great Eastern problem. One thing he has already accomplished in this respect is of particular value to the future. He has succeeded in educating the people to a realization that in the railway there is an asset, that it is the highway ultimately to bring the wealth of the Peace River country to the shores of the Pacific Ocean, and that there are areas contiguous to the road and to the route of its future construction that in their development will add immensely to the wealth of the province. He has dispelled the illusion, so long nurtured by The Vancouver Province and other interests, that the road constituted a "white elephant." He has done this by a policy of optimism in the future of British Columbia. The people now realize with him, and through his energetic and unceasing advocacy, that the Pacific Great Eastern can be made a factor of high importance in contributing to provincial development.

Another exhibition of political wisdom displayed by the Premier during the past eighteen months is his realization that improved transportation facilities are calculated to do more than anything else to promote prosperous conditions. There are better roads in the province now, and they are better maintained, than ever before in the history of British Columbia. In this programme of constantly improving highway transportation Dr. Tolmie has found a seconder of enthusiasm and initiative in the person of Mr. N. S. Lougheed, his Minister of Public Works. It is admitted that, under the operation of the funds now available, only preliminary steps have as yet been taken for improved and increased transportation. What has been done, however, is an earnest of high promise of the programme proposed under the new loan Bill, with its complementary increased gasoline tax, to be devoted to building up a transportation system which cannot but give an impetus to a gathering tide of prosperity in British Columbia. Some indication of the programme devised has already been indicated in the policy of the taking over of arterial highways within organized districts. The first intimation of this was given in connection with the problems of Saanich. That municipality will have cause to bless the name of the present Government because of the improvements to its roads that are being projected. The same policy will be adopted elsewhere throughout the province.

Before launching the province on new policies Dr. Tolmie has taken the same course of fully informing himself and his Government of what the actual needs are and how they can be met in the most permanent way by provincial assistance. He is making haste slowly, a policy followed by all leaders who wish to contribute towards consolidating prosperity. In what has already been accomplished by his Government, and in what is projected, the Kamloops choice of the Conservatives for their leadership in provincial affairs has been amply justified and the people of the province deserve congratulations on having, at the first opportunity, given Dr. Tolmie the chance to prove his title to control of the affairs of British Columbia. One task above all others that he has been successful in accomplishing is that of putting an end to a wastage of public funds. Immediately on assuming office he called a halt to the spendthrift policy that had been pursued by his predecessors in office. For this he has earned public gratitude, and it is a policy that he intends to pursue steadfastly as long as he is in power. Dr. Tolmie and his Ministers can meet the Legislature in the session that opens on Tuesday with full confidence that the rectitude of the course they have pursued and the measures they have devised for the advancement of British Columbia have earned, and will continue to earn, public appreciation and support.

A CAPITAL LEVY

Strong support to the conception that British Columbia would derive undoubted advantages from the abolition of Succession Duties is contained in an interview with Mr. E. C. Warren, of Booke, which we publish today. Mr. Warren sees in the operation here of this tax deterrent to many wealthy persons making their homes in British Columbia and investing their capital in the province. He speaks from first-hand experience in the matter of how capital shies away from a location where Succession Duties are in effect. He has had to furnish information re-

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PSYCHIATRY AND LOVE

Professor Heinrich Hertwein, psychiatrist of Germany, is seeking to revolutionize marriage by a process which would bring about the abolition of love as it is known today. The professor who is reputed to be a tower of strength in the enunciation of the science, is the author of many sweeping assertions. In one instance he remarks that "half the men and women of our time are dizzy with love and stagger through the world in a dazed condition which is produced by the sentimental bosh manufactured by drunken poets and insane lyricists." Thus practically the entire literary world is assailed. Poets, like Shakespeare, Burns, Longfellow and Wordsworth, were merely drunk or insane when they wrote of the tender passion. That is the verdict of one of the leading psychiatrists of the time.

"Away with sentimentality in love" is Professor Hertwein's plea. He wants the scientific test of mating to supplant moonlight walks. Mere affection between two mortals of different sexes has nothing to do with happiness, if the German psychiatrist is to be believed. It is character and physique, as science determines, that should make a couple happy. He divides the human race into three types revealed by the "hidden soul life" of individuals. The types are "dear," "peasant" and "hunting." The "hunting" type and the "peasants" are hard-working materialists capable of strenuous achievement. The "dear" type is intellectual—dreamers, poets, artists. He sees no happiness whatever in marriage between two persons who happen to belong to the same scientific division. In fact they abandon all hope when entering matrimony. The ideal marriage, according to the psychiatric conception, is between persons of opposing scientific types. In this, says the professor, "there will be no quarrels. All will be peace and harmony. The loveliest and brainiest children will issue from such unions. The human race will be the gainer." If there is to be marriage of opposing scientific types the professor does not say how selections are to be made, but the implication is that a committee of psychiatrists should dictate the process of mating among the human race. The first thing to be done is to abolish the "drunk and insane" practice of love-making. How this is to done deponent sayeth not.

Quebec Evenement points out that Canada, owing to the climatic conditions, has seasonal unemployment of thousands. It suggests that is a matter to which Provincial Legislatures should turn their attention. The unemployment situation in the country during the present winter constitutes a call to action but Provincial Governments continue to be apathetic, and Ottawa takes the attitude that unemployment is a master for municipalities and provinces.

Enthusiasm gives life to what is invisible, and interest to what has no immediate action on our comfort in this world.—Madame de Staél.

God could not be everywhere, therefore He made mothers.—Hebrew Proverb.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, at 8 p.m. January 25, 1930.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Snow	Min.	Max.
Victoria	trace	39	21	34
Vancouver	22	36	26	36
Kamloops	6b	4	22b	20
Prince George	trace	38	28	36
Estevan Point	22	36	20b	4
Prince Rupert	40b	32b	26	36
Atlin	20b	4	10	16
Dawson	40b	32b	26	36
Seattle	20	32	10	16
Portland	40	32	10	16
San Francisco	46	50	10	16
Spokane	trace	2b	18	34
Los Angeles	2	12	54	62
Vernon	7b	8	18	26
Grand Forks	21b	1	1b	19
Nelson	1b	19	1b	16
Kaslo	2	16	1b	16
Calgary	4	10	16	20
Edmonton	10	12	16	20
Swift Current	2	10	16	20
Prince Albert	1	6b	18	20
Qu'Appelle	trace	4	12	20
Winnipeg	24b	4b	12	20

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Increasing easterly winds; mostly cloudy and moderately cold, with occasional snow.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Easterly winds; mostly cloudy and moderately cold, followed by snow.

SATURDAY

Maximum 39
Minimum 35
Average 35
Minimum on grass 19

General state of weather, fair. Bright sunshine, 48.

3 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.97; wind, E., 6 miles; fair

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.94; wind, E., 4 miles; fair

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.22; calm; cloudy

Prince George—Barometer, 30.42; calm; fair

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.12; wind, E., 8 miles; clear

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.88; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy

Tatooch—Barometer, 29.94; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy

Portland—Barometer, 30.02; wind, S.E., 4 miles; cloudy

Seattle—Barometer, 29.98; wind, S., 4 miles; cloudy

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.92; wind, W., 4 miles; cloudy

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Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

"Man needs but little here below nor needs that little long." Like almost everything else in this world, that silly old saying should be revised and brought up to date. The modern version should be: Man wants everything here below, particularly everything which belongs to some other man. Which, of course, is the creed of Communism and the ultimate object of Socialism.

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RUFUS ARGENTA

Sir.—In reference to the articles appearing in The Times, Victoria, B.C., in regard to this property, I beg to say that I have received a letter from Pete Svedberg, the contractor, dated January 15, 1930, which read as follows:

"Dear Sir—Come in to the Argentea tunnel from the Argentea River, 12 miles from Mammoth Cave and Carlsbad Caverns in America. It is an 18-mile long, narrow, low, rocky cave with many chambers and passage ways filled with curious stalactites and stalagmites. The scene above pictures Le Lac d'Embarquement with the boat starting an exploration tour of the underground river. The mystery of the great cavern attracts many hundreds of tourists every year.

As they wish to anchor the outfit for that vast region, the Peace, on Burrows Inlet, I would like to know what I can do to help them.

Mr. I. M. Argenta, what I have stated in former letters? "By way of Seymour Narrows, Bute Inlet and the Homathoo River Valley is the best route for a southern outlet for the Peace to the sea." That means more to Victoria than any other undertaking. Every person living on the Island should take an active interest in the project and make the facts known.

SAANICH ELECTIONS

Sir.—I want to thank sincerely the many who supported me at the poll on Saturday last. I must say that having come so much nearer the goal I feel far more encouraged. I have been told that there are two or three hundred people who worked so hard for me. I am sure that all the friends who worked so hard for me will be pleased to hear that I have been elected.

I hope all who supported me will continue their support as, all being well, I shall try again at our next election for I feel more interested in our local affairs now than ever before.

DENNIS HOARE,
3247 Douglas Street, Victoria, B.C.,
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RE GARBAGE

Sir.—Being interested in our worthy voters' complaints about garbage and realizing the prevention of disease in removing the cause, I would like to say we have enough unemployed now without increasing the number.

During the extreme cold weather we have about ten tons of coal a month, mined on Vancouver Island to wit, Ladysmith or Wellington. We have nine garbage cans, and from ashes, tin cans, broken glass, china, etc. It takes almost a car a day. When the city was collecting our garbage I have known collectors to be as long apart as two weeks. We pay \$500 a year taxes and pay the city 15 cents for every car taken away. Unable to bear the pressure any longer we changed. Now a private concern collects the garbage at 21-2 cents a car less, and we get a weekly service.

I think if some of you voters did the same thing there would be less injury to our worthy city relying on tourists.

Women's Work and Institutes

JUNIOR BRANCH MEETINGS HELD

Columbia W.A. Concludes Sessions With Special Feature for Junior Members

A splendid tribute to the popularity of the diocesan junior secretary was paid to Mrs. Chrow by all the members of the twenty-five branches with their superintendents at the annual meeting of junior branches of Columbia W.A., held in the Methodist Church, Sunday afternoon, when the presentation of a gold wrist watch and an illuminated address, beautifully framed, was made to her by Mrs. Hallam, of St. John's, Victoria. Business was suspended during the meeting. The address paid tribute to her service during the past nine years and expressed the hope that she would be available for many years of active missionary work.

Mrs. Chrow replied sympathetically, declaring that she would always further the work among the Juniors. The whole assemblage gave her three hearty cheers and a "tiger" before business was resumed.

The diocesan president, Mrs. Dickson, was in the chair, and at the opening of the session she expressed pleasure at the fact that the hall was well filled, the record attendance being due to the desire of every member to be present at the last meeting Mrs. Chrow would conduct.

COMPARISON WITH 1905
Previous to the minutes of last year's annual, those of the first annual meeting, held twenty-five years ago, were read, when Mrs. Perrin was in the chair, and Bishop Perrin distributed the prizes. There were four branches represented at that meeting. Christ Church Cathedral, St. John's, St. Saviour's and

St. James', and the wife of Canon Cooper gave an interesting talk on the early beginnings of the diocese, and the first Christ Church Cathedral, in the school of which the meeting was held.

BRANCH REPORTS

The reports of ten branches were read by their young secretaries, Mrs. Chrow being the first to report in condensed form, after which the programme plays were given by St. Alban's and St. Mark's, both very acceptably done by the young players, showing careful work and considerable ability. A drill by eight pupils of the Good Hope Mission was given, directed by Mrs. Clarence Li at the piano. Mrs. Chrow exhibited for very well-directed drill, which had been delayed too late for the competition, from the branch at Alert Bay, which are to be kept as models.

Banners were presented by Mrs. Chrow to the St. Matthias' Branch for increased membership, and St. Mark's, whose record was very little behind.

DOIL DRESSING CONTEST
Mrs. Dickson presented the prizes for the doil dressing competition: Dorothy Brooks, of St. Alban's W.A., being the winner of the first prize, the first prize, of St. Alban's W.A., and another member of the branch, Louise Sison, winning second prize. A special prize being given to Dorothy McKinney, of Somesoo.

In the second group the first prize went to Vivian Yeatman, of St. Luke's, and the second to Helen of Courtenay. Honorable mention, Kathleen True, St. Michael's, R.O., and Thelma Aspinall, St. Luke's.

A beautiful basket of flowers was presented to Mrs. Norrish, who has been a valued assistant to Mrs. Chrow, especially in connection with the branch at James Bay, and in arousing interest on her visits to the Queen of Island Lodge.

Queen of the Island, Lodge No. 209, L. O. B. A. held its regular meeting on Tuesday evening, and the informal social time was much enjoyed. Games and a contest provided amusement, prizes for the latter being won by Mr. Smith and Mrs. Owen. Refreshments were served. Madam Clark and Galbraith presided at the piano. Another social evening was spent for February 12 at the home of Mrs. J. D. Kissinger, Fairfield Road.

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KING'S DAUGHTERS

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Up-Island branches, which has resulted in the formation of three branches during the past year. Mrs. Norrish expressed her gratitude to the superintendents for their efforts in this direction. Bishop, in a few words, congratulated Mrs. Chrow and conveyed best wishes to the children and closed the meeting with the benediction. Tea was served to the children in the gymnasium and a happy social hour was spent, bringing the twenty-fifth junior annual meeting to a close.

WOMEN'S CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

CANADIAN DAUGHTERS' LEAGUE

Mrs. R. A. Barr entertained members of Far West Assembly, No. 30, Canadian Daughters' League, at their annual meeting on Tuesday evening, and informal social time was much enjoyed. Games and a contest provided amusement, prizes for the latter being won by Mr. Smith and Mrs. Owen. Refreshments were served. Madam Clark and Galbraith presided at the piano. Another social evening was spent for February 12 at the home of Mrs. J. D. Kissinger, Fairfield Road.

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JUNIOR LEAGUE

The bridge and 500 party to be held on Thursday evening by the Subdivision, Catholic Women's League, will begin eight o'clock in the hall. Hall, which was made necessary through misunderstanding and overlapping of dates. Already over fifty entries have been received, but many are still available. The object funds for the Social Service Sunshine Camp, is proving most popular, and a great success is anticipated.

BRIDGE PARTY

A delightful bridge and 500 party was held at the home of Mrs. W. R. Fletcher, Heywood Avenue, in aid of the funds of St. Louis College, sponsored by the Welfare Association of the college and under the chairmanship of Mrs. Percy Watson and Mrs. F. J. Doherty, a pleasant and profitable evening was spent. Another party was arranged for February 12 at the home of Mrs. J. D. Kissinger, Fairfield Road.

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SOLARIUM W.A.

TO HOLD SHOWER

Annual Reports of Women's Auxiliary Show Much Good Work Accomplished

At a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Solarium held on Friday afternoon plans for the annual linen shower to be held on February 6, 7 and 8, were discussed. The business meeting was preceded by the annual meeting, at which officers for the year were elected and reports made. The shower will be held through the medium of the local stores, donors being asked to leave their gifts at the various stores to be designated, or at the Solarium office on either of the three days.

Particular need is expressed for heavy unbleached cotton sheets, sizes when finished to be fifty-six by eight feet, inches, flannel to be seven and a half inches, drawsheets to be fifty-two by fifty-two inches, pillowcase-size thirty-three by twenty-six inches; bath towels, twenty-two by forty-two inches, as well as table napkins and tray cloths.

OFFICERS FOR YEAR

All the officers were elected by acclamation as follows: President, Mrs. Austin Gale; vice-president, Mrs. C. Hartley; secretary, Mrs. Robert Bird; treasurer, Mrs. William Peden; convenor of knitting, Mrs. J. Beveridge; convenor of gifts in kind, Mrs. Gale.

Mrs. Bird in her annual report, noted that during the past year eight meetings of the Women's Auxiliary were held.

"All requisitions for articles have been filled, including 108 flannelette nightgowns, forty-six dresses, eight-night knickers, thirty-six belts, sixty-four pairs stockings, forty-two pairs, fifteen pairs one pair of bed socks, six pairs of mitts, making 403 articles, an increase of ninety-one over the previous year," the report concluded.

WIDE RANGE OF WORK

The various branches of the Women's Institutes have helped most kindly in the making of these garments, Lake Hill, Royal Oak, Cowdow, Victoria, Langford and Shirley, and we owe them our sincere thanks," said the report. "For winter sewing and knitting in winter, the girls in the various branches for workers, many offered their help, which was gratefully accepted.

"In February, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Peden, the first linen shower was arranged with gratifying results, 254 gifts and \$23 in cash being received.

"Mrs. Hartley acted as secretary for eight months during the past year, and in addition to the work of the cutting out, the making up and the making up of the winter garments.

"Mrs. Beveridge has been able to send a most splendid supply of woolies to the Solarium. The president Mrs. Gale has followed up her special work of gifts in kind from the branches of the Women's Institute, the report concluded.

WIDESPREAD SYMPATHY

Mrs. Gale, convenor of gifts in kind, presented a special report showing the widespread sympathy with the work of the Solarium, which took expression in the form of many practical gifts. Women's Institutes as well as private individuals, had sent in generous donations of cash and supplies of fruit, vegetables, preserved fruit and vegetable jams, children's clothing, needles, and one gift of twenty-four nightgowns.

From several little girls of from six to thirteen years of age at Harrow came three beautifully dressed dolls, the dolls themselves being also made under the direction of the home economics convenor of the Harrow Women's Institute.

Hewitt, I didn't understand what the waiter meant when he sent in my order shouting, "Ham and eggs, and have the eggs over!"

Jewett: Did you find out? Hewitt: Yes, when I got the order I found that the eggs were over the age limit.

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Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

STRAWBERRY VALE

The regular card party of the Strawberry Vale Women's Institute will be held in the Institute Hall, Roy Road, tomorrow at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served.

LANGFORD

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Tuesday at 2 p.m. The conveners and committee will be elected and Mr. C. E. Whittney-Griffiths will

address the meeting. Visitors and new members will be welcomed.

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**The Charm and
Variety of Stucco**

By MARGARET C. MACLURE

The growing and ever-increasing use of stucco for house exteriors is probably one of the most subtle tests that architects are now being put to, because a successful result calls for the best principles of composition and design. The delicate wall surfaces presented by this material are fatal to bad proportion, and no other building material shows up poor design so glaringly. In proof of this one has only to glance at some of the old houses that have been "modernized" and modernized in an outward garment of stucco. It is a well-known fact that the best stucco is a thin, solid color or mix, never tinted to give life and variety to the surface. Clay tiles generally range through the colors produced in old world prototypes, yellows, orange, reds, rich browns and greens, and to these shades have been added mottled tones and many shades of green and grey. There are many varieties of manufactured materials of asbestos and asphalt, which try to imitate slate, but seldom with success.

There is no manufactured fancy roofing that will take the place of the best quality of well laid shingles.

SHINGLE ROOF
The shingle roof is a distinctive feature of the houses of this country. Slate and tile must both be imported, and it is a well known fact that imported materials never so well harmonize with the landscape as those native to it.

PROPER USE ESSENTIAL
In all good architecture, the art of design is one of construction, and should be thought out through the materials and in strict accordance with the traditional methods of working them. For this reason alone it is very necessary that the proper use of a stucco or cement finish should be given special study. It's a worthwhile problem, too, because of its fascinating and varied possibilities.

Cement plaster and stucco have come to mean the same thing. It was indeed a good thing for house owners when this ideal material took the place of the old stucco, a material which has made it one of the most economical and durable materials for the exterior covering of a house. Applied to frame or hollow tile it makes a warmer, drier house than either brick or stone, because it is more impervious to moisture than both, and more truly weather resistant. As a matter of fact, stucco houses when properly constructed are really masonry houses in as far as exterior covering is concerned.

One important thing to be careful about when building a stucco house is to see that you have the right sort of wood for "framing". Your architect will probably see that the material for "framing" is such that defective cracks will be avoided.

It should never be used as a framing material; British Columbia fir, spruce or pine are best.

One very interesting feature in the use of stucco is its adaptability to color. If you happen to want it, you may have lovely tones of orange, green, mauve or madder pink for the exterior of your house. There is a wide range to choose from in color and texture. On a cream house you may paint the trimmings green and have purple shutters; or the trim may be black with an inner line of vermilion and the gay surprise of an orange door. For quieter tastes very charming effects can be worked out in grey stucco with all the exterior woodwork finished and stained brown. A distinctive house of this type had overhanging balconies, reminiscent of Italy, on several of the second story windows.

Red brick, stucco and shingles can be combined very delightfully in

what is known as the "English domestic style." The roof line of your stucco house should be a strong factor in the decorative scheme. Here again there is infinite variety of material and even color to choose from. We may have our roofs in one solid color or mix several tints to give life and variety to the surface. Clay tiles generally range through the colors produced in old world prototypes, yellows, orange, reds, rich browns and greens, and to these shades have been added mottled tones and many shades of green and grey. There are many varieties of manufactured materials of asbestos and asphalt, which try to imitate slate, but seldom with success.

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The shingle roof is a distinctive feature of the houses of this country. Slate and tile must both be imported, and it is a well known fact that imported materials never so well harmonize with the landscape as those native to it.

Originally shingles were split by hand and were rather thick and long, and in roof tile these give the effect that is aristocratic, natural and sound.

When machine-made shingles first came on the market they were turned out exactly the same length and thickness. Within recent years, however, manufacturers realized their mistake, and so now one can get a very fair imitation of the real old hand-made article. In this connection it's a good thing to know that the shingle is an important factor in the life of a shingle roof is the nailing. Copper nails should always be used. They are a little more expensive to use, but come cheapest in the end, because the ordinary iron nail will not last as long as the shingle. If, however, for reasons of economy we ever have to fall back on the ordinary steel wooden shingle, the life of the shingle and excessive neatness may be somewhat mitigated by laying the shingles so that the butts do not follow an exact line, but fall hit or miss, a half-inch more or less above and below. It is sometimes a difficult task to convey this point of view to the workmen, but so thoroughly outlaid his ideas of a good job.

**Organizations
Come Into Being
To Rescue Captives**

Many orders were established during the Thirteenth Century for the special needs of humanity, though the organization of charity is often thought to be a peculiar feature of social life reserved for monasteries. The generations which organized hospitals, cared for lepers in such a way as to protect others from infection, and who segregated such diseases as leprosy, were able not alone to establish charitable efforts, but to accomplish their object with little friction and much beneficial energy. The monasteries of that time were centers of the most practical charitable organization, and gave freely when need was required; they were largely employers of labor, and when times of scarcity came every effort was made to keep their people employed, the community itself often going on short rations that the people of the neighborhood might not suffer. Those in time of famine, when abuses doubtless existed in some of the monasteries, they have yet to be accused of neglecting the poor in times of famine.

CAUSE OF EXISTENCE

Besides the social needs consequent upon illness and injury, there existed in this long ago century a crying evil in the frequency with which mariners and merchants, as well as pilgrims to the Holy Land and Crusaders, were captured by Corsairs from the Northern coast of Africa, and sold into slavery. News of these poor victims seldom reached home unless there was hope of their return. They were much lost to their families and friends as if they had been drowned in the sea, which was commonly supposed to have been their fate. Their hardships and helplessness made them objects of special solicitude. The institution which was to provide relief for this sad state of affairs had been in the type of the Thirteenth Century, "what doubtless the modern world would be apt to think of as characteristically medieval" — but the result achieved was as good an example of practical benevolence as has ever been effected in the most matter-of-fact centuries. Dreams and vision are at the birth of every great enterprise, so it was in the case of this organization.

John of Matha, a distinguished teacher of Theology at the University of Paris. The other was Felix of Valois, more distinguished for his piety than his learning, but by no means an ignorant man. On

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Independence Day in India Is Likely to Be Marked With Unrest

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This was accentuated today by reports of a bomb explosion in the Poona District and the discovery of a bombing outfit and other weapons during the raid in which thirteen young Bengalis were arrested. It was noted here that during in which the raid took place in the centre of an independent activities had been suspended to afford indication that at least there had been no subversive of such activities at the present time.

VICEROY STANDS FIRM

(Canadian Press Cable)

NEW DELHI, India, Jan. 25.—Viceroy Lord Irwin, speaking before the Legislative Assembly, took full responsibility for the statement he made on his return from Great Britain, ultimo, that India caused a considerable flurry in British and Indian affairs at the time.

He said that his intention was to focus attention on three salient points:

1.—That while no British Government could prejudice what it would recommend to Parliament after consideration of the Simon Commission report, it restated in unequivocal terms that goal of British policy toward India.

2.—It emphasized the intention of His Majesty's Government to have a round-table conference before it formulated any conclusions.

"That statement stands as I made it," said Lord Irwin, "and in the light of the appreciation which I formed of the principal elements with which we all have to deal and with full knowledge that weight must necessarily attach to the con-

sidered opinion of anyone holding my present office, I should have felt I had failed in my duty to India and Great Britain, if I had tendered any different advice to His Majesty's Government."

The Viceroy said he had hoped that leaders of Indian opinion would have been unanimous in accepting the offer of friendship by the British Government in calling the conference but it seemed there were some who let the opportunity slip.

NATIONALIST REPLY

The moderate Nationalist group, which constitutes the only real opposition in the Legislative Assembly, later issued a statement with reference to the Viceroy's speech. It reads:

"We think the general effect of the Viceroy's speech will be to create the impression that Dominion status has to be reached goal for India which has to be reached by a long journey. It is unfortunate that in this connection the Viceroy stressed a difference between that journey and its end. We think the supreme need of the hour was a statement revealing better sympathies for the third conference, strengthen a hoped for achievement of Dominion status at the earliest possible moment. We hold the view that in the early establishment of Dominion status lies the solution of the present difficulties and a hope of representation at this juncture, will be very unwise and will aggravate what it is intended to cure."

Dismiss Charges Of Embezzlement By Co. Official

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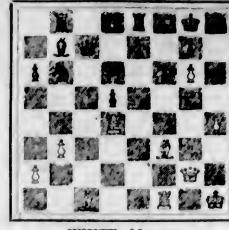
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CHESS COLUMN

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BLACK—Canal



WHITE—Maroczy

WHITE 29. Q B 4
30. K R Q 1 30. R K 4
White threatens Q N 4 and Q R 5.
31. B x R 31. P x B
32. R x P 32. Q K 2
33. R x P 33. Q x R
34. B x B 34. Q K R 4
35. R Q 4 35. R K 1
36. Q K 4! 36. Q Q N 4
37. B Q 5 ch 37. K R 1
38. Q B 3 38. N x B
39. R x N 39. R K 8 ch
40. N N 2 40. Q K 7 ch
41. Q Q 4 41. Q K 7 ch
42. K B 3 42. K 1
43. R Q 6 43. R R 1
44. P N 4 44. K N 1
45. P R 3 Black resigns

Fine play on both sides. White rising to his full stature, produced a masterpiece.

The game is taken from The Hungarian Chess Magazine, Magyar Sakkvilág, one of eighty selected from the Carlsbad I.T.

A brilliancy prize game from the Budapest I.T.

WHITE BLACK
Brinckman Honlinger
1. P K 4 1. P Q B 3
2. P Q 4 2. P Q 4
3. P N B 3 3. P x P
4. N x P 4. B D 4
5. N N 3 5. B B 3
6. P K B 4! 6. P K 3
7. N B 3 7. B Q 3

M.C.O. continues 7... N Q 2; 8. N K 5, N x N; 9. B P x N, Q Q 4; 10. P Q 2, Castles; 11. Q R 4, with advantage to White.

8. B Q 3 8. N Q 2
9. Castles 9. N K 21
10. N K 5 10. B x N
11. B P x N 11. Q N 3
12. K R 1 12. R Q 1

If 12... Q x P; 13. B x Q; 14. B x P ch.

13. B x B 13. R P x B
14. B N 5! 14. N x P
15. Q K 2 15. N Q 2
16. N K 4 16. N Q N 1
17. B x N 17. K x B
18. R x P ch! 18. K K 1

18... K x R? 19. N N 5 ch and wins.

19. N B 5 19. R Q 3
20. R x Q N P 20. Q Q 1
21. N P 5 21. Q B 1
22. N P ch 22. K B 1

23. Q K 7 ch and mates with 24. Q B 7 ch; 25. N B 5 ch.

From The British Chess Magazine.

Noted by J. H. P.

A brilliancy prize game from the Carlsbad I.T. follows:

WHITE BLACK
Maroczy Canal
1. P K 4 1. P Q B 4
2. N K B 3 2. P K 3
3. P Q 4 3. P x P
4. N x P 4. N K B 3
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Our next is what modern masters call "old stuff."

SOUND AUCTION
and CONTRACT
by WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD
The World's Greatest AuthorityWould You or Would You Not, With
South's Hand, Pass North's
One No Trump?

two No Trumps, concluding the bidding:
Contract — In Contract, South (the writer) and West passing, North opened with one No Trump. East passing, South took out with two Spades. West passing, North bid two No Trumps, whereupon South feeling fairly confident that North held the Club suit doubly stopped, but three No Trumps, his values in the other suits sufficient to assist partner's rebid.

THE PLAY

Spades having been bid by South, East opens his fourth best Diamond, the Two. The Dummy goes down. North plays from Dummy the Four of Diamonds, West the Eight, as he holds the 10-8 tenace over the Nine in Dummy, and North, the Jack. West plays the One of Diamonds, the King of Diamonds, North concedes the King of Hearts by laying down the Ace followed by the Jack. East refuses to cover the second round, as North may not hold a third Heart. North, however, leads a third Heart, which East wins with the King. East, finding the Diamond situation untenable to continue shifted to Two of Spades, having to find a partner with some strength in that suit, as North has denied South's Spade take-out. North plays the Seven of Spades from Dummy. West the Jack and North wins with the King. North pauses at this point to count the two hands. He figures his positive tricks to be three Spades, three Hearts, three Diamonds (possibly four) and one Club trick. He next leads the Nine of Spades, which West refuses to cover and follows with the Four, East winning with the Ace, and in desperation shifting to the King of Clubs, which North wins with the Ace. He then lays down the Ace of Diamonds, dropping West's Ten, and continues with the Three, finessing the Nine in Dummy, thus making the remaining tricks.

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A London Letter

Italian Exhibition the Week's Great Topic—A Wonderful Collection of Art Treasures—The Carillon in Hyde Park and the Art of Bell Ringing—Arts Club Rowdiness and English Cooking

By ELIZABETH MONTZAMBERT

The one great topic of the week is that of the Italian exhibition, to be opened in a warm blaze of popularity, and the two previous exhibitions of Dutch and Flemish art have taught the public to appreciate the exceptional luck of being able to see together in one building so many masterpieces, usually scattered all over the world, many of them in private collections not generally accessible to the public.

I understand that there has been indeed a real "embarrass de richesse." Even as late as the opening day I heard someone offering to Signor Modigliane another treasure from some private collection. How profitable were those grand tours, taken in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries by Englishmen of fashion and rank, is now discerned on the walls of Burlington House, of the five hundred or so pictures shown, no less than forty-one come from the collections of English noblemen. Eight canvases come from His Majesty's collection at Buckingham Palace, over sixty from private owners and thirty-seven from museums in the British Isles and Canada.

Of the latter it is interesting to note that Scotland heads the list with ten pictures, Liverpool sending seven and Ireland four. The Canada National Gallery sent Botticelli's charming little heads of the Infant Christ and the Little St. John the Baptist. Cariani's "Por-

traits of a Man" and Tintoretto's portrait of his servant.

One heard amazing differences of opinion about the celebrated "Temptation" by Giorgione. Signor Giovannelli was persuaded to lend with so much difficulty and only on the promise of an abnormal rate of insurance, raised, I believe, by subscription. Many people said frankly that they infinitely preferred the near-by "Trial of Moses" by the same great artist, where he has painted in soft glowing color the scene of Pharaoh watching to see if the infant Moses will choose to put out his hand to the plate of gold or that of embers, and so decide his fate.

But the connoisseurs were composing panegyrics over "The Temptation" with its stormy sky in the background, and in the foreground a young woman who appears to have discarded everything but a white cap while she sits on a chair, while a soldier leans on a staff at some distance with the air of having nothing to do with them.

It is not possible to give any adequate idea of the extraordinary boldness of this collection. It is possible, since pictures too are subject to the vagaries of fashion, that there will be a recrudescence of interest in religious pictures.

CALM AND BENIGNANT

There is something so calm and benignant about these exquisite Madonnas of the Florentine and Venetian artists, seated in their lovely robes against pale gold backgrounds and in a way, they seem curiously modern. Night layfay, told me he once asked the late Lord Fraser to dress a Shakespearean play for him and that when brilliant designer went to the Florentine primitives for his inspiration he was told to add a few "modern" touches.

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The Titian portrait I like best is one supposed to be of the Virgin, of Peter Paul III, an old white-bearded man with an air of impenetrable sadness, seated in a red velvet arm chair and wearing over his white robes an ermine-bordered cape of a lovely shade of faded wine color. There are all sorts of surprises in this collection. Even the celebrated Venus of Botticelli takes on different air after it has left the walls of the Uffizi Gallery in Florence, where she had hung for over a hundred years, and looking at the fresh, brilliant coloring of the goddess as she stands so lightly on her sea shell, it is difficult to realize that Botticelli painted her for those great art lovers, Lorenzo and Giovanni di Medici, nearly four hundred and fifty years ago.

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British Scion Mends China



THIS wandering scion of one of Britain's most famous families, Mr. William St. John Cooper, muses thoughtfully over affairs "back home" as he happily pursues his craft of mending china at Milwaukee, Wis. Mr. Cooper has just been revealed as a brother of Lady Pearson, famous British actress, known on the stage as Gladys Cooper. He himself, however, has preferred to spend his time accumulating priceless experiences in all corners of the world.

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There are far too many treasures in this prodigious exhibition to be seen in one visit. That is why the number of season tickets already bought is in excess of all precedent.

New Year's Day celebrations passed off very quietly in London, with the news of the tragedy in Paisley showing little interest.

The B.B.C. programme, in letting listeners hear the celebrations in different countries and then have a special one for themselves with an element grave and gay, was very popular. One of the most interesting features in London life this week has been the playing of the fresh, brilliant coloring of the goddess as she stands so lightly on her sea shell, it is difficult to realize that Botticelli painted her for those great art lovers, Lorenzo and Giovanni di Medici, nearly four hundred and fifty years ago.

The art of bell-ringing has had a received a fairly late, and Miss Gladys Watkins, who has just left the bells in New Zealand and who studied the art in the famous Mechlin School, will probably have many imitators.

Last week I wrote of the art of dancing super-imposed on English villagers, but this week sees the arrival in London of Basque folk dancers who have never had to revive this art because they have never lost it. This particular company of dancers has never before left their native province. London will be to them an unknown world. One is always told that the origin of this dark-haired, straight-nosed race is wrapped in mystery and that it is possible that they are the descendants of Etruscan traders. Basque cooking is world-famous. I remember a Basque cook who successfully diverted my mind from the problems of the moment by keeping it occupied with more pressing problems of the present. It is to be hoped that the visitors who arrived this week will give their hosts an exhibition of Pelota, their native game, which is played in various parts of France, especially in the north.

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Mantegna, too, that "Old Roman in Art," shows another side of his immense genius in his "Dead

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SITUATION IN BRAZIL BETTER

Country Has Vast and
Varied Resources, Says
National City Bank in
Monthly Letter

COFFEE STILL CHIEF EXPORT

Brazil is a country of vast and varied resources, and the development for the export market is progressing rapidly. The sound of the pickaxe does not leave London for long. The latest building to be completed is Prince's Hotel, overlooking St. James' Churchyard and running through to Jermyn Street. Personally I have never forgiven Prince's for serving me with a cold tapioca for a war-time sweet, but in pre-war days it was a rendezvous for members of the "pink set" and introduced the short theater district that is now so much patronized. The part of the building lodged underneath the Royal Institute of Painters in water colors will not be interfered with, but all the Jermyn end will come down and I believe in the future a shop will be built in spite of the fact that the Piccadilly Arcade, nearly opposite the old Burlington Arcade is already in existence.

The British Housewives' Association after a gallant struggle for four years in trying to induce the present housewife to resent matters that need improvement with sufficient energy to be disagreeable about it is now thinking of merging its activities in those of the National Council of Women.

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dealers to buy freely, therefore helping the Coffee Institute to carry the present load, as in 1927-28, but the trade has become more skeptical than ever of the practicability of price-stabilization at the level of the past year.

The announcement of the new \$2,000,000 loan by the London bankers states that "the London bankers of the São Paulo Government have given this credit has satisfied themselves that the Government is now engaged in working on a comprehensive scheme to deal with the present situation with a view to facilitating the gradual liquidation of the large accumulations of coffee stocks in the interior."

This indicates that the price reduction is part of a fundamental change of policy. The coffee authorities never have believed that a lower price would materially increase consumption, or that anything could be gained by trying to force distribution.

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in Brazil and many of the trees have the age of deterioration these being mainly in the State of São Paulo. G. C. G. of the Pan-American Union for December in which he seems to suggest the remedy for the situation when he says that 600,000,000 of the trees of São Paulo are "markedly decadent," and that the State is engaged through its last stage of large-scale cultivation. He adds: "The experience of other countries indicates that the path to be followed—either to intensify cultivation by adopting the measures advised by experience and science or to let the production decrease and disappear completely."

In Brazil, other States than São Paulo have been opening new and cheap land made available for coffee-growing by the construction of railroads and upon which production costs are lower than upon the old plantations of São Paulo. Thus, in large part, coffee situation is an international problem, being aggravated by increasing production in Colombia, Venezuela, Central America, the Dutch East Indies and Kenya.

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Remarkable Results Are Obtained in Remodelling Farmhouse Without Modern Conveniences

CLEANLINESS IS STIMULATED

The picture below is good evidence that houses built several decades ago can be modernized successfully. Cast your eyes at this picture and see for yourself the costumes on the group in the foreground. The leg of mutton sleeves and basques of the ladies and the old horse and buggy in the middle ground speak of by-gone days.

The homestead appears as it was years ago. In those days it was a substantial, well-built house, painted at regular intervals and receiving proper care.

But with the passing of time, it grew old. New conveniences were introduced to the people and generally accepted by them. These comforts were denied the occupants of the old house, for somehow or

Homestead of Earlier Days Now Modernized



This clean cut, modern home was built back in the days when leg of mutton sleeves were the style among the ladies. Note the old homestead in the view to the right. The dwelling when modernized is pictured above.

other they never got around to installing them.

NOW MODERNIZED

Today the old homestead has been modernized. It is now one of the up-to-date homes of the countryside. The good substantial old lines have been slightly changed, a side porch of Colonial motif has been added, and a wide front porch now graces one end of the main structure.

New windows supersede the old time narrow sash. The upstairs windows on the sun side of the house are equipped with shutters which may be closed on hot summer days.

When the new porch had been placed on the end of the house a pair of French doors with many small lights were installed. These lead to a modernized living room.

GREATEST CHANGE INSIDE

Perhaps the greatest change has taken place within the old home. Like most old-time houses, the accessories were out of date and decidedly obsolete. A modern farm lighting system now provides electricity throughout the interior.

The family can have all of the comforts of the minute, as expressed electrically. Floor lamps, electric washing machines, vacuum cleaners,



toasters and percolators are in everyday use.

The insulation of a modern septic tank down the hill enables a modern bathroom to be installed. Here are found running water and a delightful shower, so that the men folk can cleanse themselves after a hard day in the fields.

Not only in town, but also in the country are many old homesteads that need modernizing.

There is big money in Wall Street for anyone who knows how to play the market, and Beethoven's sonatas are on any piano if you just happen to hit the right notes.

Obadiah—I think Peggy will make an ideal wife. Every time I go to her home I find her darning her father's socks.

Joshua—That caught me too—until I noticed it was always the same sock.

Electric lights should be located to give good illumination. Central lights often give shadows, and one housewife when modernizing her kitchen avoided this disadvantage by insisting on several wall lights.



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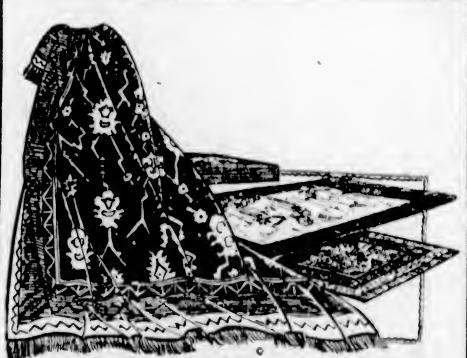
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Between Twelve and One

By VERNON LODER

CHAPTER XIII (Continued) *persons' suicide theory," he said when they had chatted for a few minutes. "But I suppose your chief had to give out the clew and the press interested in the case. Cupola might have showed me the grapple, but I believe he must have had it in an outhouse, from which the murderer stole it."*

Cobham nodded. "It's nice to find some one who agrees with me. But I really can't let you know about this alluded game."

"Mrs. Hassen, as you no doubt have seen in the papers, says she saw Cupola loosing money fast at Monte Carlo."

"He produced written note and passed it over. "These are the dates. I understand from you he was at Monte Carlo some time ago. Merton is one place and Monte another. I'll be glad if you can tell me if he was there between the dates I have marked here?"

Mand stared at the paper and reflected. "I can't say offhand, I think not. But if you will wait a moment, I will go and get a notebook I kept."

Cobham assenting, Mand went off and returned in a few minutes. "That's odd," he said. "Cupola was not in Merton at that time, but he was certainly not at home. He went away for a fortnight and asked that his correspondence should not be forwarded."

He rose, smiled politely, and asked Cobham to sit down.

"I don't agree with the newspaper,"

he said. "I think that he was going yachting with some fellow—noting more definite than that."

Cobham smiled. "Might it not be that he went over to Merton, all the same, though he did not tell you? It is quite possible he did not want people to know where he was."

Mand stared. "Perhaps you are right. I wondered if you were going to say he went yachting with Mr. Merton."

"Ah," said Cobham, starting again. "I'll keep that idea in mind, sir. I never thought of that."

Mand had quite enough to do, so Cobham did not encroach on his time any further. He went away after a short private call on man in an office at Southampton Row.

When he had heard of the chief constable's interview and decision, he had returned the borrowed chair to Merton's room at Tendon Oaks.

"Mand said, or thought it might be Merton's you had been on."

"I don't think that much of a shot after all."

He returned to his wife, told her to put on her things, and surprised her vastly by taking her to the office of a well-known tourist agency.

"I have a little surprise for you, my dear," he said to her as they entered the tourist office. "We're on our own now, and you have never been abroad. So I propose to take a little trip to the Riviera and spend a few days there."

She opened her eyes. "Where?"

"To Merton, my dear."

"But won't that be very expensive?" she objected.

"It will be worth it," said her husband. "This is where we get our tickets."

(To Be Continued)

HIGH SCHOOL IS TO PRESENT PLAY

Matriculation Class Will Perform Sir J. M. Barrie's "A Kiss for Cinderella" in March

The 1929-30 matriculation class of the Victoria High School is presenting its annual play in the school auditorium on the evenings of March 21 and 22.

This year the school has once more deviated from its regular custom of presenting a play of Shakespeare's. "Romeo and Juliet" was set last year. This year it is giving J. M. Barrie's delightful comedy, "A Kiss for Cinderella." This bit of drama, as its title indicates, deals with that person so well known in fairy tales—Cinderella. Here she is seen in a modern setting, but with fairy godmother, step-sisters, and all, presented in Barrie'simitable way.

The cast for the play has been chosen entirely from among the matriculation class of this year, and a talented group of young actors has been attained. This play is the last bow of the senior year to the school, and they are working hard to attain a record never before achieved.

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keep him up there for a while anyway.

After a while Chatterer grew tired of scolding Black Pussy. It is Chatterer's nature to sit still very long at a time. He began to explore these branches. It didn't break off clean. The bark and some long fibers held it from breaking off wholly. Thus it hung down and the tip of it hung this way was just a few feet above the roof of the corncrib.

Chatterer had gone over early one morning to see if he could find any grains of corn around the corncrib. Sometimes Farmer Brown's Boy would spill a few grains. Chatterer never failed to look up to see if by any chance that clothesline had been put back from the top of the corncrib. At the same time he was studying that broken branch, he shifted his position. He went out where he could look at it from a different direction. He leaned over and looked down on the roof of the corncrib. He went back and examined the place where the broken limb was still attached to the tree. His eyes snapped with satisfaction when he saw that tree with the broken limb. Chatterer scampered up this and found a comfortable seat in a crotch high up he looked down and scolded Black Pussy. Black Pussy didn't climb the tree. She knew from bitter experience that she couldn't get around in a tree as Chatterer could, so it would be useless to climb after him. Having nothing else to do, however, she sat down at the foot of the tree and glared up at Chatterer. She would

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